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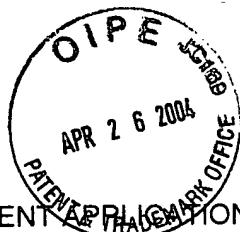
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31 (A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS,
32 (B) AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION,
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1 (A) INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

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3 This paper is filed in reply to the Office Action issued on 01/tba/2004 with respect to the above-
4 referenced application. No new matter is added to the application by the amendments made
5 hereinafter.

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7 Filed herewith is a Supplemental Declaration of C. Richard Triola under rule 131, where by the
8 Declarations evidence conception prior to July1999 and due diligence in pursuing patentability.

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11 Applicant hereby requests reconsideration based on the following amendments and remarks
12 regarding objections and rejections enumerated in the Office Action.